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STATE OF NEW JERSEY
DEPARTMENT OF LAW & PUBLIC
SAFETY
DIVISION OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS
STATE BOARD OF DENTISTRY
DOCKET NO.

In the Matter of)

WILLIAM S. DUDZINSKY, D.D.S.)

Licensed to Practice Dentistry)
in the State of New Jersey)

Administrative Action

CONSENT ORDER

This matter was opened to the New Jersey State Board of Dentistry upon receipt of a Report of Investigation from the Enforcement Bureau, Division of Consumer Affairs, disclosing the results of an unannounced audit conducted at the office of William S. Dudzinsky, D.D.S., pursuant to a Consent Order entered with the Board on July 9, 1992. The audit disclosed that in five of the patient records reviewed respondent had submitted claims to an insurance carrier on behalf of the patient for reimbursement of fees for dental services which were higher than those actually charged to the patient. The Board also reviewed these records with the respondent at an investigative inquiry held before the Board on August 24, 1994.

It appears that respondent wishes to resolve this matter without recourse to formal proceedings.

THEREFORE, IT IS ON THIS 21ST DAY OF ~~SEPTEMBER~~^{DECEMBER}, 1994,
HEREBY ORDER AND AGREED THAT:

1. The license of the respondent to practice dentistry in the State of New Jersey shall be and is hereby suspended for a period of five (5) years. The entire period of suspension shall be stayed and shall constitute a probationary period conditioned upon express compliance with all terms and conditions of the within Consent Order.

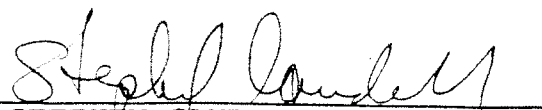
2. Respondent shall cease and desist from any and all misrepresentation, fraud, or deception in the submission of insurance claims on behalf of patients in any manner whatsoever.

3. Respondent shall be and is hereby reprimanded for submitting insurance claims which misrepresented the actual fee to be charged to patients for dental services, and respondent further is cautioned that more serious penalties will be imposed in the event subsequent offenses of a similar nature are disclosed.

4. Respondent shall be assessed a civil penalty in the amount of Five Thousand (\$5,000) dollars which shall be paid by certified check or money order made payable to the State of New Jersey and submitted to the State Board of Dentistry at 124 Halsey Street, Sixth Floor, Newark, New Jersey 07102, no later than the first day of the month following the entry date of this Order.

5. Respondent shall afford access to his dental office and shall submit to periodic random and unannounced audits of his patient records and billing records to be conducted by the Board's designees at the Board's discretion and at respondent's expense. On demand made, respondent shall immediately make available all

records necessary to conduct the audit as determined by the Board or its designees. A statement of costs for the audit shall be submitted to respondent, and he shall submit payment in the amount of such costs no later than fifteen (15) days subsequent to his receipt of the statement of costs.



STEPHEN CANDIO, D.D.S.
PRESIDENT
STATE BOARD OF DENTISTRY

I have read and understand
the within Order and agree
to be bound by its terms.
Consent is hereby given to
the Board to enter this Order.



WILLIAM S. DUDZINSKY, D.D.S.